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BATTLE BETWEEN TURKEYS AND ARMY WORMS.

[From the San Francisco Chronicle.]

The best growers around Brighton, five miles from Sacramento, have been greatly excited for a week past over the appearance of the army worm in their best fields. The worm is a new comer, and has appeared in vast quantities over an area of at least three miles. The worms average about two and a half inches in length, are as thick as an ordinary lead pencil and of dark brown color, with longitudinal stripes of black and white on either side of the brown back. The head resembles that of a silk worm, and is armed with keen pincer-like teeth.

They have eaten up nearly all the beets that were planted by the Beet Sugar Company, and the fields of John Rooney, which are mostly planted with beets, are almost as clean as when the seed was first put in. They cover the ground in a hideous, crawling mass, and present a most loathsome sight. They eat the tops entirely off the beets, not even leaving the stems of the leaves; but after these are all cut, they descend to the beet itself and devour it. There are a great many willows in the vicinity, and it is probable the moth that lays the eggs out of which the worm is hatched is harbored by them. When the worms come out they commence depredations on the nearest fields to the willows, and this fact has been observed in former years. The course traveled by the worms is from the southwest to the northeast.

Two days ago the owners of the fields procured one thousand hungry turkeys and turned them loose on the ravagers. The turkeys went at the pest voraciously, but made but little headway, though they devoured the worms in millions. To-day 1,400 more of the hungriest turkeys to be found for miles around were turned into the fields. The scene that ensued when the entire 2,400 turkeys got fairly to work was thrilling in the extreme. The turkeys charged on the black, crawling, heaving mass of loathsome things, and devoured them in great bunches, gulping them down in their eager, like starving vultures. The worms came on in great black waves, swaying on the beet tops like an undulating sea. The turkeys gorged themselves till they reeled and staggered and tottered like demoralized soldiers. As the gorged turkeys fell back fresh and hungry ones took their places, and scooped up the loathsome food in writhing strings. After a hot contest, in which finally all the turkeys took part, they fell back sick and disheartened, with overladen crops and disgusted looks. After a fast of a day or two they will again be set to work, but in the meantime the worms are increasing in millions. The damage already done is enormous.

A GIRL STORY.—The New York Herald and the New York Sun publish correspondence from Mount Pleasant, Pa., under date of July 22, in which are given "extraordinary revelations" of a double murder alleged to have been committed by the chief of a band of gypsies now traveling in that vicinity, in which the victims were a girl who was kidnapped by the gypsies in England some years ago, but at the time of her death had grown to be a handsome young woman, and a young man named "Frank," said to be of a highly respectable family of Baltimore, and who, when the gypsies were encamped near that city last spring, becoming enamored with the young lady, (Esmondela,) determined to cast his fortunes with her, and who up to the time of his death, had been leading the roaming life of a gypsy. The statement is given by a Christoph Polombo, (why not Christopher Columbus?) who, himself, was an outsider traveling with the gypsies, and being terror-stricken at the commission of the crime fled to Mount Pleasant and made known the facts to Justice Martin, of that place.

Polombo says the cause of the crime was jealousy of the chief of the gypsies for the girl against the attentions of the young man "Frank." The New York Sun in its statement of the affair, says: "Polombo's statement finds many believers, but there are some who profess to see inconsistencies in the narrative that leave its truth open to question. Investigation may prove the truth of the story, but it is not probable that it will ever reveal the mystery of Esmondela's birth. The identity of the man Frank, however, may be established." The story has a very romantic air about it, and will bear some further investigation before a person can pin his faith to it.

LADIES AS CANVASSERS FOR VOTES.—It was plainly evident on Saturday at San Jose that the influence of the ladies had been somewhat overstrained. The outward forms of respect were not violated to any great extent, but the interference of the police was necessary once or twice during the day, and the crowd made no secret of its triumphant feelings as the canvassers moved off by the evening train. It will evidently be unwise in the event of any future contest for women to go away from their own homes to interfere in the affairs of distant places. In Oakland and in Brooklyn the ladies were for the most part well treated, because they were resident, and were consequently respected as neighbors and friends. In San Jose the influence of the voters were evidently regarded as intruders, and probably did more harm than good to the cause they had at heart.—San Francisco Chronicle.

DEATH OF A VENERABLE CAROLINIAN.—Thomas D. Sumter, grandson of General Sumter, the "Game cock" of the American Revolution, and eldest son of Col. Thomas Sumter, at one time American Minister to Brazil, died on Wednesday evening of last week, at his residence, near Staunton. He was at one time member of Congress from this district, but since the close of the war has been in reduced circumstances, and supported himself by the railroad agency at Claremont depot, on the Camden branch of the South Carolina Railroad. He had passed his three score and ten years.—Charleston News.

"DULL TIMES."—"It's such dull times I will have to stop my-my-whiskey! No, no, not that, that only costs ten or twenty cents a day, or a trifle of \$75 a year. No, it's such dull times and money so scarce, I must stop my paper, it costs \$1.50 and I can't afford it, would like to read it but times are too dull."—Montross Gazette.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.



Nearly all diseases originate from Indigestion and Torpidity of the Liver, and the Liver is always diseased after. If the Liver is regulated in its action, health is almost invariably secured. Want of action in the Liver causes Headache, Constipation, Jaundice, Pain in the Shoulders, Cough, Chills, Blisters, Sour Stomach, bad taste in the mouth, bilious attacks, palpitation of the heart, depression of spirits, or the blues, and a hundred other symptoms, for which SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR is the best remedy that has ever been discovered. Its action is mild, effectual, and being a simple vegetable compound, can do no injury in any quantities that it may be taken. It is harmless in every way; it has been used for FORTY YEARS, and hundreds of the good and great from all parts of the country will vouch for its being the purest and best.

SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR, OR MEDICINE.

Is harmless, is no drastic violent medicine, is sure to cure if taken regularly, is no intoxicating beverage, is a faultless family medicine, is the cheapest medicine in the world, is given with safety and the happiest results to the most delicate infant, Does not interfere with business, Does not disarrange the system, Takes the place of Quinine and Bitters of every kind, Contains the simplest and best remedies.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

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Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded. Orders will receive prompt attention. mh 24-4f

H. H. COOK, HENRY COOK & CO.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in PURE DRUGS AND CHEMICALS, PAINTS, VARNISHES, GARDEN SEED, &c., &c., WINDOW GLASS AND PUTTY. No. 107 King Street.

Prompt attention given to orders and inquiries from the country. jan 30

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DEALERS IN PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, GARDEN SEED, &c., &c., NO. 5 and 7 South Fairfax St., ALEXANDRIA, VA.

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DEALERS IN PURE DRUGS, LEWIS' WHITE LEAD, PAINTS, OILS AND VARNISHES, FRENCH WINDOW GLASS & PUTTY. No. 148 King Street.

Orders and Inquiries from the country promptly attended to. sep 23-4f

BUILDING MATERIAL.

VIRGINIA SASH, DOOR AND FRAME FACTORY AND PLANING MILL, N. E. COR. FAIRFAX AND QUEEN STS.

READY-MADE WORK constantly on hand, such as DOORS, SASHES, BLINDS, FRAMES, MOULDINGS, BRACKETS, NEWELS, BALUSTERS, &c., &c., Will buy and trade for Walnut and Ash Logs. RISHBELL & HOOGE, Alexandria, Virginia.

B. F. PEAKE, JOHN W. PEAKE, B. F. PEAKE & CO.,

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DEALERS IN DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, PAINTS, HARDWARE, LEADS, OILS, CEMENT, CALCINED PLASTER, &c., No. 187 King Street, Alexandria, Virginia.

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WANTED—1,000 MOLASSES BARRELS by CHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr., 6 Prince Street.

1000 EMPTY COAL OIL BARRELS wanted by C. S. TAYLOR, Jr., 6 Prince Street.

WANTED—GOOD BROOM CORN. C. S. TAYLOR, Jr., 6 Prince Street.

H. H. BENPLER, MECHANICAL OPTICIAN,

MANUFACTURER OF THERMOMETERS, BAROMETERS AND HYDROMETERS, MATHEMATICAL AND OPTICAL INSTRUMENTS, No. 483 Pennsylvania Avenue, corner 41 Street, WASHINGTON, D. C.

SPECIALTY—Farmers' Barometers, \$10, and Artificial Eyes. Washington, my 4-entf

PARTOR ORGANS.

I have on hand a fine assortment of CABINET ORGANS,

from the most reputed makers, ranging from \$80 to \$175. They will be sold on time or with a liberal discount for cash. Call and see them at VICTOR BECKERS' Piano and Music Store, 112 King Street, next to the Marshall House, Alex., Va. ap 2-4f

JUST RECEIVED—Wardell Oil, Radway's Relief, Centaur Liniment, Davis' Pain Killer, Little's White Oil, Gargling Oil, Mustang Liniment, Pierce's Discovery, and Sholl's Radlinent, Wright's stonebreaker's and Grabenberger Pills. HENRY COOK & CO., 107 King Street.

WE KEEP constantly on hand an assortment of READY-MADE WORK, such as Doors, Sashes, Blinds, Frames, Mouldings, Brackets, &c. B. F. PEAKE & CO.

REMNANTS! REMNANTS! We sell all Remnants of Summer and Winter Dress Goods at half price. D. F. BRASHEAR, 100 King Street, Alexandria, Va.

POMADES, HAIR OIL AND PERFUMERY of various varieties in store and for sale at 107 King Street. HENRY COOK & CO.

TRY A "PECULIAR" at 107 King Street. HENRY COOK & CO.

GROCERIES.

W. A. JOHNSON, DEALER IN GROCERIES AND LIQUORS, NO. 41 CORNER QUEEN AND PITT STS., ALEXANDRIA, VA.

He would inform dealers and others that he is prepared to furnish them with all kinds of POTOMAC FISH, at the lowest possible prices, and would call the attention of buyers to the fact that his brand has stood No. 1 in market at all times, and that he intends to sustain his reputation in all respects. All orders addressed to William A. Johnson Alexandria, Va., will receive prompt attention. je 4-4f

W. M. F. BROOKES, DEALER IN FINE AND FANCY GROCERIES, 147 King Street, Alexandria, Virginia.

Special attention given to the selection of TEAS, COFFEES and FAMILY FLOUR. je 10-4f

G. GEORGE McHURNEY & SON, Dealers in CHOICE FAMILY AND FANCY GROCERIES, WINES AND LIQUORS, ENGLISH AND SCOTCH ALE AND BROWN STOUT. Also, EASTERN and POTOMAC HERRING and MACKEREL. NOS. 166 AND 170 KING STREET, (Washington Hall Building), Alexandria, Va. Orders promptly filled. mh 31-4f

G. W. RAMSAY, WHOLESALE AND FAMILY GROCER, —AND— TEA DEALER, S. E. COR. KING AND ST. ASAPH STS., Alexandria, Va. nov 22-4f

FINANCIAL.

W. D. CORSE, STOCK, EXCHANGE AND COLLECTION BROKER, Will deal in Gold and Silver Coin, State, City and Railroad Securities. Will execute orders for any Stocks or Bonds on the Stock Boards of New York or Baltimore on commission. Virginia Coupons, receivable for taxes, for sale. Agent for the MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO., of New York. je 2

BURKE & HERBERT, Dealers in GOLD, GOVERNMENT BONDS, LOCAL STOCKS, AND ALL FIRST-CLASS RAILROAD BONDS and other good investment securities, for sale. VIRGINIA COUPONS, receivable for taxes, ALEXANDRIA CORPORATION SIX PER CENT BONDS. Any information in regard to investments cheerfully given. my 21

DRESS GOODS AT REDUCED PRICES. OUR STOCK LARGE AND ATTRACTIVE. From this date until the 1st of September, we offer all styles of Spring and Summer Dress Goods at such reduced prices as will ensure their speedy sale, in order to make room for a large stock of Fall and Winter Goods. Mr. H. B. HOOMES will execute all orders entrusted to him with promptness and dispatch. D. F. BRASHEAR, 109 King Street. je 11

DENTRIFICE TOOTH POWDER, &c. White and Thurston's Tooth Powder, Botanical and Saponaceous Camphorated Dentifrice, Lyon's Tooth Tablets, Farnham's French Tooth Lozenges, and Buchanan's and Calvert's Carbolic Tooth Soap, just received by HENRY COOK & CO., 107 King Street. je 18

DAIRY MEN'S ATTENTION. Good, fresh, nutritious and cheap CO. F. FOD. FIVE (5) CENTS A BUSHEL, can be obtained daily in quantities to suit purchasers at PORTNER'S BREWERY, North St. Asaph Street. my 20

ANOTHER LOT OF THOSE DAMAGED GOODS. That we have sold so many of this season. They are White French Lawns, some of which are slightly injured with salt water. These are the last we will have. R. L. WOOD. je 29

WINDSOR PLASTER. 50 TONS WINDSOR PLASTER, just received per schr Nellie J. Dinmore, for sale at lowest market price. HOOE & JOHNSTON. my 15

GEORGE R. HILL & CO., Steam Cracker & Cake Bakers, ALEXANDRIA, VA. je 15-4f

NOTICE—BUCK'S BRANDY—I have this day received another supply of the above Brandy, which is warranted strictly pure, suitable for medicinal purposes. Put up in bottles at 50c each. W. F. CREIGHTON, 85 King Street. my 19

WE INVITE the attention of the public to our stock of MINERAL WATERS from the following Springs: Capon, Rockbridge Alum, Bedford and Saratoga. HENRY COOK & CO., 107 King Street. je 17

STRAW MATTING! A full supply of White and Checked Matting, in all the different widths. Persons in want of this article will do well to examine our stock. je 25

TURNUP SEED. We have just received a fresh supply of LANDRETH TURNUP SEED. HENRY COOK & CO., 107 King Street. je 17

CANADA OAT MEAL in bulk; also Scotch Oat, in packages, and Canton Preserved Ginger—a fresh supply in store at reduced rates. GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 106 and 170 King Street. my 26

AMERICAN HELLBORE ROOT, for destroying Roaches; said to be the most effective article ever used for that purpose. A fresh supply just received and for sale by JANNEY & CO. je 6

CANNED GOODS—A fine selection of choice brands at reduced rates. GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 106 and 170 King Street. je 17

POTOMAC FISH. No 1 POTOMAC ROE HERRING and SHAD ROE, in kits, for sale by THOMAS PERRY. je 17

GOOD Oolong TEA. FIFTY CENTS PER POUND by J. C. MILBURN. je 17

Genuine HAVANA CIGARS just received and for sale low by G. W. RAMSAY, je 18

Corner King and St. Asaph Streets. je 18

TOBACCO and CIGARS for sale by J. C. MILBURN, 19 N. Royal St. je 21

ICE DEALERS.

ICE! ICE! ICE! Having made arrangements for a full supply of NORTHERN ICE, I am prepared to fill orders, both wholesale and retail, at market rates. Country orders solicited, and special attention paid thereto. ICE can be procured at Ice Depot, Market space, from 5 a. m. till 9 p. m. daily. je 2 E. C. ATWELL.

ICE! ICE! ICE! Having made arrangements for a full supply of NORTHERN ICE, I am prepared to fill all orders, both wholesale and retail, at market rates. Country orders solicited and special attention paid thereto. je 1-4f F. A. REED, Agent, Janney's wharf.

MACHINISTS. O. W. JAMIESON. C. H. COLLINS

Alex. Iron and Brass Works. Repairing done with dispatch, and at prices that were charged previous to the war. je 20

JAMIESON & COLLINS, Proprietors. CORNER OF ROYAL AND WILKES STS. Alexandria, Virginia. Building Material, Mill Work and Castings of every description, made at short notice. Cash paid for old Iron and Brass. sep 6-4f

W. S. MOORE, MACHINIST AND BLACKSMITH, No. 65 Union Street, Alexandria, Va. Where he is prepared to furnish all kinds of MACHINERY, WROUGHT and CAST IRON FENCES, &c., &c., &c., Repairing done with dispatch, and at prices that were charged previous to the war. je 20

PHILIP PARK, PRACTICAL PLUMBER, No. 12 South Fairfax Street. The oldest and best established Plumbing establishment in the city. All work done with dispatch, and in the most durable and workmanlike manner. Satisfaction guaranteed. JOBBING done at short notice, and by himself, or the most experienced workmen. je 2-4f

LEGAL.

LEGAL NOTICE. Administrators, Executors, Guardians, Curators and Trustees, who have not settled an account for twelve months past, will now come forward and make settlements without further notice. R. A. SINCLAIR, Commissioner of Accounts. jan 7

R. A. SINCLAIR, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Will practice in the city Courts of Alexandria and the several Courts of Prince William and Fairfax counties. jan 8-4f

FRANCIS A. KERBY, AUCTIONEER, REAL ESTATE BROKER, AND GENERAL BUSINESS AGENT, NO. 56 KING STREET. (Burke's Building), Alexandria, Virginia. Buy and sell, let and lease houses in Alexandria and farms in the country. Particular attention given to the selling of household furniture at auction at the residences of families declining housekeeping. feb 21-4f

NOTICE. We have this day sold our entire stock of merchandise and book accounts to Mr. S. D. Dunham, who is authorized to receipt and sign the firm's name in liquidation of all outstanding debts. I. SCHWARTZ & CO. N. B.—Thanking the public for their liberal patronage, we would be pleased to hear of their continuation of the same to our successors. I. S. & CO. je 22

A CARD. Having bought out the firm of I. Schwartz & Co., Sarepta Clothing Hall, which business I intend to carry on to the full extent of my capacity, I would assure the public that I have not forgotten the extensive liberality of their former patronage, and beg leave to express my high appreciation thereof, hoping for a resumption of the same, with the assurance on my part of upright and liberal dealings, and the guarantee of giving full satisfaction in all cases to all my customers. A. DEALHAM. je 25

JUST RECEIVED AT FRENCH'S, NO. 95 KING STREET, A LARGE LOT OF CARVED AND SAWED BRACKETS, Hanging Baskets, Swiss Cottage Brackets, Rustic Frames, all sizes, Wall Pockets, Match Safes, Corner Brackets, elegantly carved. These articles are of Walnut, and very cheap. Call and examine. G. E. FRENCH. je 25

INK AND STAIN EXTRACTING PEN. For instantaneously removing ink, writing fluid, iron rust and all similar stains from the fingers or skin in general, white cotton, linen or woolen stuffs of every kind, wood, bone, engravings, printed books and unsized paper in general. It is an invaluable companion to every banker, merchant and business man who uses ink, or to the child in the school room. In the laundry, the workshop, the office or the household, it is alike serviceable and useful. Price 25c. Just received and for sale by WARFIELD & HALL'S, Corner Prince and Fairfax Streets. je 20

GREAT BARGAINS IN WALL PAPERS, GILT, SATIN AND BLANK. Job lot and remnant of Wall Papers, suitable for large or small rooms. The cheapest lot of Wall Papers ever offered in this city. Call soon if you want to get bargains. They will be sold much below cost to close them out. JOHN P. CLARKE, my 15 No. 158 King Street.

JUST RECEIVED. 3 tierces EUREKA SUGAR-CURED CANNED HAM. ALSO SMOKED POTOMAC HERRING and POTOMAC SHAD in pickle. W. A. JOHNSON, Corner Pitt and Queen Streets. je 7

CARBOLIC COUGHING SOAP, unequalled for washing the floors of closets and sinks, and for cleansing and disinfecting clothing after sickness, and for washing animals or fowls infected with fleas or other insects. In 1 lb bars at 25c each. For sale both wholesale and retail by J. C. MILBURN. je 7

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE. I have this day associated with me in business my son, CHARLES F. ADAM. The JEWELRY BUSINESS, as long conducted in this city by me will in future be conducted under the firm name of W. W. ADAM & SON. W. W. ADAM. je 1

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA: At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 1st day of June, 1874— Joseph Broders and John Lannon, copartners, trading under firm name of J. Broders & Co., plaintiffs, vs. M. Cunningham and Clarke Broughton, late trading under the name of Cunningham & Broughton, defendants. In case and upon an attachment. The object of this suit is to recover from the defendants the sum of \$470 54, with interest thereon from the 1st day of June, 1873, till paid, and to subject the estate and debts due to the said M. Cunningham, in the city of Alexandria, to the payment of the same.

The defendants not having entered their appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that they are not residents of this State, it is ordered that the said defendants appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city. A copy, test: MORTON MARIE, Clerk. Claughton & Walker, p. q. je 20-4w

NOTICE.—The undersigned having duly qualified as Executors of the will of the late Mrs. A. M. FITZGUGH hereby request all persons having any claim against the estate to file the same with their account properly proven at the Banking House of Messrs. Burke & Herbert, in this city. CHAS. G. KERR, FITZGUGH LEE, Executors. my 12-4f G. W. C. LEE.

CABINET FURNITURE. JAMES H. DEVAUGHN, Manufacturer and Dealer in FURNITURE, No. 130 King Street, ALEXANDRIA, VA. LOOKING GLASSES, HAIR, COTTON TOP, AND HUSB MATRESSES, kept constantly on hand and made to order at reasonable prices. In order to secure prompt attention orders should be addressed to JAMES H. DEVAUGHN, No. 130 King Street. my 18-4f

FINEST WAREHOUSES IN THE SOUTH. WM. H. HUIR & SON, Manufacturers of FURNITURE, 141 and 143 King Street, Alexandria, Virginia. A large and fine stock always on hand. je 25

STEPHEN A. GREEN, JAMES E. GREEN, GREEN & BROTHER'S STEAM Furniture Works and Saw Mill ALEXANDRIA, VA. Having fitted up our factory with the latest and most approved machinery, we are prepared to furnish all kinds of HOUSE, OFFICE and SCHOOL FURNITURE at the very lowest rates; and are also prepared to do all kinds of SAWING and TURNING, MOULDING, PLANING and CARVING in our line. Wanted, in exchange for the Furniture, Walnut, Popular, Oak, Maple, Birch and Cedar Logs. je 8-4f

FINE OOLONG TEA, AT FIFTY CENTS PER POUND. TRY IT. FOR SALE BY R. M. LAWSON. je 9

STAPLE DRY GOODS. JUNE 23d, 1874. We call special attention to our full line of Linen and Cotton Sheetings, Table Damask, White Cloth, Napkins, Towelings, Bleached and Brown Cottons, Quilts, Tickings, &c.; bought low and will be sold cheap. Mr. H. B. HOOMES will execute all orders entrusted to him with special care. je 22 D. F. BRASHEAR.

BELTS! BELTS! WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. In Fine Leather, Silklined Elastic and Velvet. Belts made to order, any size, in a few minutes. Leathers and Buckles sold separately. A FERGUSON'S HAIR DEPOT. PRESTON'S PORTABLE LEMONADE, Flavoring Extracts, Raspberry Syrup, prime Messina Lemons, &c., for sale by GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 106 and 170 King Street. je 10

TRY WARFIELD & HALL'S ARCTIC SODA. je 27

ARCTIC SODA WATER. AT WARFIELD & HALL'S. je 5

OIL VITRIOL! OIL VITRIOL! Ten carboys Oil Vitriol, for fertilizers, &c., just received by HENRY COOK & CO., 107 King Street. je 6

RASPBERRY, LEMON and GRENADINE SYRUPS for sale by G. W. RAMSAY, King and St. Asaph Streets. je 6

JUST RECEIVED—Another new style of F. PARASOL very handsome and cheap. Call and see them. D. F. WITMER CO. my 15

DAVIS' "DIAMOND" BRAND SUGAR-CURED HAMS, small sizes, in store and for sale at 147 King Street. W. M. F. BROOKES. je 5

VICHY WATER! VICHY WATER! AT WARFIELD & HALL'S. je 27

SARDINES, in half and quarter boxes, a full supply just received. GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 106 and 170 King Street. my 25

LUBIN'S EXTRACTS—A fresh supply just received by HENRY COOK & CO., 107 King Street. je 29

FOR S. J. A. SUITS. WEST POINT CADET CLOTH Just received. D. F. WITMER CO. je 22

500 JAPANESE FANS just received and for sale at 5c a piece at No. 147 King Street. W. F. BROOKES. je 9

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER, a sure cure for Dyspepsia, for sale by HENRY COOK & CO., 107 King Street. je 30

LITTLE GIANT and GENEVA FLUT LING IRONS. Samples just received at No. 88 King Street, corner Royal. Call and see. je 2 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

PARIS GREEN, for the destruction of the Potato Bug, for sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. je 27

SUMMER RESORTS.

MONTGOMERY WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, Montgomery county, Virginia. This delightful and fashionable watering place was opened for the reception of visitors on the 1st of June. These Springs are the most beautiful and extensively improved of the numerous watering places in the mountains of Virginia, and are capable of accommodating over ONE THOUSAND VISITORS. The Lawn is covered with a forest of choice shade trees. The Cottages are of elegant design, the rooms large and well ventilated. These Springs have been entirely refurnished in an elegant modern style. Express, Ticket, Post and Telegraph offices. BAR supplied with the choicest liquors. BILLIARD ROOMS, TEN-PIN ALLEYS, a first-class LIVERY, &c. The BAND from the Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., has been engaged. A Branch Railroad, 14 miles long, connects these Springs with the Atlantic, Mississippi and Ohio Railroad at Big Tunnel Station. Round trip tickets at greatly reduced rates at all the principal towns and cities. Pullman Palace Cars through to these Springs; only one change from Baltimore. Terms: \$5 per day, \$18 per week, \$50 per month; June or October \$40. Special terms: For any three consecutive months, \$45 per month; children under 12 years and colored servants, half price. Resident Physician, PROF. P. GOULBRICK, M.D., College of Physicians and Surgeons, Baltimore, Md. For Circular, Pamphlet, &c., address COLHOUN & COWAN, Proprietors, Montgomery county, je 25-1m

THE BEVERIDGE HOUSE, Middleburg, Virginia. The undersigned has leased this fine Hotel, and will open it for the reception of guests on the 1st of July, 1874. It is a large and handsome house of 25 rooms; the parlor, dining room and chambers are large and airy, and furnished in good style. Middleburg is one of the prettiest and most healthy towns in Piedmont Virginia. It is situated in Loudoun county, 40 miles from Washington city, 16 miles from Leesburg, and 8 miles from The Plains station, O. A. & M. R. R., from which two points there are daily stages over well graded turnpike roads. A MINERAL SPRING near the town has effected many cures of Dyspepsia, and is pronounced by the physicians of this section to be equal to any water in the State for this kind of diseases. The house will be kept in the best style, and every effort will be made to give entire satisfaction, and the charges will be moderate. A LIVERY STABLE and BAR will be attached, and the Bar will be furnished with the best Wines, Liquors, Cigars, &c., that can be procured in the country. For further information address J. M. PATTON, Proprietor. Middleburg, je 23-ly

FERTILIZERS. A CARD.—Having leased and thoroughly refitted the UNION CORN and PLASTER MILL, recently occupied by Messrs. Suttle & Stuart, I am now prepared to furnish FINE and FRESHLY-GROUND PLASTER in bulk, bags or barrels. Also CORN MEAL at lowest market rates. L. T. MATHON, in charge of mill. B. H. LAMBERT, Jr., Shipping and Commission Merchant, ap 3-4f No. 18 Union Wharf.

NOTICE TO CITY TAX-PAYERS. City Collectors' Office. } Alexandria, Va., June 26th, 1874. Notice is hereby given that the tax bills for 1874 are now in the hands of the Collectors, and the attention of all parties interested is respectfully called to the second section of the Revenue bill, which is as follows: "Be it further enacted, That there shall be levied and collected upon all tax bills not paid within thirty days after being put into the hands of the Collectors for collection, two and one half per cent; upon all such bills not paid within thirty days thereafter, five per cent; and upon all such not paid within ninety days thereafter, ten per cent upon the amount of such bills, respectively. Office: Room No. 6, Royal street front, Market Building